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October 27, 2005

Hearing Officer Jean Stone  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

Re: United Telephone-Southeast, Inc.'s and The Information Bureau, Inc.'s Joint  
Motion to Dismiss  
Docket Nos. 05-00152 and 05-00156

Dear Hearing Officer Stone:

Please find enclosed an original and thirteen (13) copies of United Telephone-Southeast, Inc.'s and The Information Bureau, Inc.'s Joint Motion to Dismiss in the above-referenced dockets. Also enclosed are the original and thirteen (13) copies of the confidential and proprietary Settlement and Release Agreement executed by the parties on October 6, 2005. The original of the Settlement Agreement and the copies are being filed under seal in a separate envelope pursuant to the terms of the Protective Order entered on October 17, 2005.

An extra copy of this letter is enclosed. Please stamp it "Filed" and return to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions concerning this request.

Sincerely yours,

Edward Phillips

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Enclosures

cc: Kirti S. Bajwa

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY  
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

In the Matters of:	)	
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Petition by United Telephone-Southeast, Inc.	)	Docket No. 05-00152
for Declaratory Ruling by the Tennessee	)	
Regulatory Authority	)	
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and	)	
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Petition by The Information Bureau, Inc. for	)	Docket No. 05-00156
Request for PUC Directive	)	
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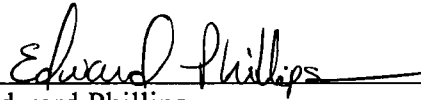
United Telephone-Southeast, Inc.'s and The Information Bureau, Inc.'s  
Joint Motion to Dismiss Docket Nos. 05-00152 and 05-00156 With Prejudice

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Pursuant to the terms of a confidential Settlement and Release Agreement, the parties, United Telephone-Southeast, Inc. and The Information Bureau, Inc. hereby file a joint motion to dismiss in Docket Nos. 05-00152 and 05-00156 with prejudice. The parties will not recite the procedural history of these proceedings before the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority"). In addition, since the parties have reached a settlement of the underlying disputes, the parties respectfully request that the Hearing Officer assigned to this matter by the Authority grant a dismissal with prejudice of both dockets as a result of the settlement reached herein.

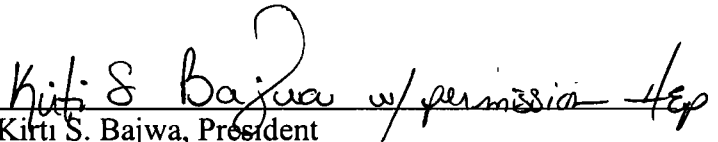
WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing, United Telephone-Southeast, Inc. and The Information Bureau, Inc. respectfully request that the Hearing Officer dismiss Docket Nos. 05-00152 and 05-00156.

Respectfully submitted this 27<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2005.



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